



State of Vermont  
**PERMIT AND LICENSE INFORMATION**

**ENERGIZING PERMIT - ELECTRICAL**

**SUMMARY  
DESCRIPTION  
OF PERMIT**

An energizing permit is required before the electrical utility company energizes any new electrical service in a public building.

**CRITERIA FOR  
JURISDICTION**

The state or municipal electrical inspector will issue the energizing permit when the new installation is in substantial compliance with the requirements.

**WEB ADDRESS**

<http://firesafety.vermont.gov>

**FEES**

No separate fee; covered through the electrical permit for installation.

**APPLICATION  
TIME FRAME**

Within 5 days of the request for an inspection, an inspection will be conducted, scheduled or waived.

**ADMINISTERING  
AGENCY**

**DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY  
FIRE SAFETY DIVISION  
Technical Assistance  
1-800-640-2106**

**CONTACT:** **Electrical Inspector**, one of the regional offices below

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**AUTHORITY**

26 V.S.A. Chapter 15

**APPLICABLE  
RULES**

2011 Vermont Electrical Safety Rules. Effective Date June 2011

**APPEAL  
PROCESS**

Reconsideration may be requested under the Vermont Fire Prevention and Building Code. The applicant may request reconsideration from a permit or enforcement action by initially contacting the regional manager to explore alternatives to the code requirements.